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Report of the Fifth Committee

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1. At its 61st and 62nd meetings, on 9 and 10 May 2000, the Fifth Committee, pursuant to rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, considered the statement by the Secretary-General (A/C.5/54/60) of the programme budget implications of draft resolution A/54/L.83/Rev.1. The related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions was presented orally by the Chairman of the Advisory Committee (see A/C.5/54/SR.61).

2. Statements and comments made in the course of the Fifth Committee's consideration of this question are reflected in the relevant summary records (see A/C.5/54/SR.61 and 62).

Decision of the Fifth Committee

3. The Fifth Committee reaffirmed General Assembly resolutions 41/213 of 19 December 1986 and 42/211 of 21 December 1987 and decided to inform the General Assembly that the adoption of draft resolution A/54/L.83/Rev.1 would give rise to an estimated requirement under the programme budget for the biennium 2000-2001 not exceeding $1,401,600. Such appropriation, as recommended by the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, would be subject to the use and operation of the contingency fund. The Fifth Committee further decided to reconsider this question before the end of the second part of its resumed session.

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